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A Merry Xmas
and
Happy New Year

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Living Expenses.

No argument is needed to convince Americans in all walks of life that the cost of living has raised inordinately within a very few years. Nor is it necessary to call attention to the fact that the burden falls most heavily on the wage-earner. When the margin between the annual income and the annual living expenses closes up, and when it becomes ever harder to strike a balance between the two, it is hardly necessary to remind the wage-worker of the fact. He is painfully aware of the discrepancy.

And just at this juncture he will derive but small consolation

from the eternal promise of the thick-and-thin protectionists that high-tariff rates result in advanced wages. Those who have held out so successfully for exorbitant tariff rates have invariably prated of the benefits to the working-man, of the higher standard of living produced through this medium, the increased wages of the American artisan, the full dinner-pail, and more off the same piece. As a matter of fact, the tariff wall does effect higher wages, but the rate of increase never keeps pace with the advanced cost of living resultant from a high tariff. Increased cost of living is inherent in a protective tariff, and it profits the workingman nothing if his wages rise but five per cent while the cost of his daily bread, his clothing and his shelter is advanced ten or fifteen per cent through this beneficent customs law.

The workingman may gather to himself some slight consolation, however, by reflecting that the remedy rests with himself. He holds the balance of power at the polls. It is his vote which elects representatives in Congress and the Legislatures which name United States senators, who write the tariff laws. Let him elect

men pledged to reduce an iniquitous robber tariff and his salvation is assured. This might be deemed a long and tedious process, but a little reflection will demonstrate that if he begins putting it in operation at once, relief is not far distant. The complexion of the lower house of Congress can be changed next year. If the workingman will but remember his opportunities in that respect, there will be no indecision in the manner of his voting.

Birthday Party

We live in a world of trials, disappointments, sorrows, discouragements and afflictions, yet all is not loneliness and sadness, for we find that there are numerous influencing tendencies to cheer humanity. Many gloomy hearts have been brightened by a kind and gratuitous expression, a cheerful deed, or a deed of congenial and amiable congratulations.

Although a person may be looking on the bright side of earthly existence, a certain occasion will cause it to appear brighter to them. This occasion was manifested to Edward Stivison, Saturday evening the 18th. The date mentioned was the occasion of a pleasant surprise on the energetic young man, he having attained the age of twenty in the race of life. The evening was spent in music by the Old Town string band which was excellent, and by organ accompanied by vocal music which was pleasing to the auditory sense; by parlance which all took an active part and seemed to be expert conversationalists; by out-door games such as "docedo," "skip my darling," etc.; by indoor games such as "post office," "telephone," "picking cherries," "crown for an osculation," etc. At a late hour lunch was served. All had a convivial good time, and at a late hour departed for their humble homes wishing Mr. Stivison many more such happy occasions.

Following are the names of those who were present: Beesie and Clara Ruff, Beulah, Estella and Susie Poling, Estella, Carrie and Ida Stivison, Hester Kreider, Nora and Goldie Scholl, Estella Wright, Edith Wolfe, Olla, Levi Homer and Will Wolfe, Jesse Fickel, Guy Wright, Frank Poling, Thomas Melan, Herbert, Chauncey and Cullie Stivison, William Canan, Noah Stivison and wife, and the host Edward Stivison. F. L. P.

Haynes And Vicinity

The new M. E. church in our village is nearly completed. Elmer Kennedy and wife were Laurelvillians last Tuesday. Lulu Lindsey is working for Mrs. Hattie Kitchen at present.

Butchering and chopping wood seem to be the order of the day in our community. Loyl Gardner was a business visitor at Logan last Tuesday. Rancie Poling and wife were Haynes callers last Wednesday. John Vincent contemplates moving to Circleville. Homer Strous was a caller in our town last Thursday. Lewis Hoey is visiting his parents at present. Jesse Kitchen of near Bloomingville was seen in our valley one day last week. As news is scarce will ring off, wishing everybody a merry Christmas and a very happy and prosperous New Year.

KATY DID

Happy Ridge

Old King winter has come at last, and pretty rough at that. Squire Gordon made a business trip to Logan, last Friday and visited his daughters while there. Mrs. Walter Lehman and Mrs. Bert Cheshire. He returned home on Sunday, a pretty sick man; he fears lung fever. Mrs. Sarah Poling, who has been sick for some time is slowly recovering.

Emery Bainter was a Logan shopper, last Friday. Fred Keller, of Gibsonville, was seen buggy riding toward Bloomingville, last Sunday evening. Mr. Hooker and wife, of Button Ridge, were calling on friends on this ridge, on last Wednesday. Ed Brown and son Floyd, of Button Ridge, spent last Sunday with Squire Gordon and family. Blanche Young, of Apple Blossom Valley, spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Margaret Gordon. Robert Gordon and Floyd Brown attended preaching at Pine Grove, last Sunday afternoon. Ira Huffman and Robert Gordon are kept very busy for the past week, trapping. Mrs. S. C. Lama and Mrs. Mary Young spent Friday afternoon with Mrs. R. Poling. Mrs. Alice Huffines spent last Thursday with Mrs. Ida Huffines. Arthur Huffines, of Logan, was calling on friends on this ridge, last Saturday night and Sunday. Bert Vorches, of near Gibsonville, was seen on this ridge, recently. George Kelch, of Logan, was a business visitor at Lewis Huffines, last Thursday.

CHARACTER

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Obituary.

In loving remembrance of our darling baby Pansy Bell Glenn, daughter of J. P. and Laura Glenn; born at her home near Gibsonville, O., Feb. 24, 1908, and departed this life Nov. 16, 1909, aged 8 months and 23 days. She leaves to mourn her loss, father, mother, one sister and one brother, and many other friends.

Little Pansy was a good natured little baby, winning the love and friendship of all who knew her. Oh, how often we had looked at the face of our darling baby as the gardener would have looked at the choicest of his little buds, hoping that she may be spared to bloom on this earth for us a sweet pansy which would have been fairer than any earthly flower to us, but God looked down and saw the little bud and took it home to bloom for him in heaven where sickness, pain nor death can never enter, nor little flowers never die. It is hard to give up our darling, but we feel she is safe in the arms of Jesus, Who laid His hand upon the little child's head and said, "except you become as a little child you can not enter the Kingdom of Heaven."

Our little Pansy is in us, God took her from our sight, From this world of sorrow, To a world of light. But like a tender flower, She passed away from earth, To bloom as God's sweet pansy, And to share the angel's myth. But we will not weep for Pansy, But we will join the band, Where our little Pansy dwells, In a fair and happy land.

GARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness during the sickness and death of our little one.

MR. AND MRS. J. P. GLENN

Notice to the Public.

The stores will close all day Christmas, Dec. 25, 1909. Please see that you do your dealing at the stores that observe the holiday and 7 o'clock closing; also do your shopping on or before Dec. 24, 1909. The stores will commence closing again at 7 o'clock Monday night Dec. 27, 1909.

By order of R. C. I. P. A.
Dec. 18, 9-wks. Com.

What Shall I Give for Christmas?

That is a question you cannot properly decide without first looking over our store. We have everything in Watches, Clocks, Rings, Bracelets, Chains, Pins, Buttons, Cut Glass, Silver, China and dozens of other articles too numerous to mention here. And they are not the ordinary kind, but new, snappy, up-to-date goods that have never been shown before.

Come in and decide for yourself.

F. S. CASE

Jeweler

Optician

Druggist

Obituary.

After suffering for months with cancer of the face, Mrs. Sarah Hufford of Sugar Grove, departed this life at the home of her son James Solenberger, at the age of 89 years and ten months. Interment was made on Dec. 13 in the Lutheran cemetery at Sugar Grove, Rev. Amos Kohler officiating. She leaves the following children to mourn: Seth and James Solenberger of Sugar Grove; George, Eli and Ephraim of Lake county; and three daughters, Anna, Elizabeth and Phila Tipple of Lancaster, besides a host of grandchildren and great grandchildren and three great great grandchildren.

Weep not, dear friends, for she has entered the pearly gates of the new Jerusalem, where there is

Rest for the fevered brain,
Rest for the throbbing eye;
The those pained lips of hers no more
Shall ever pass a moan or sigh.

The last farewell is spoken.
Dear grandma is laid away
To sleep within her narrow bed.
Until the judgement day.
Then think of her in heaven,
Whom you once beneath the red-
dressed grandma was only tent;
She still belongs to God.

Too deep the slumbers of the tomb.
The dark this bed of clay,
Yet shall she wake and leave that gloom
For an eternal day.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for their kindness during the sickness and death of our mother and grandma.

JAMES SOLEBERGER,
SETH SOLEBERGER
AND CHILDREN.

Lancaster Meeting And Chatauqua For 1910

Ohio people in general and friends of Lancaster Camp all over the world are already seeing visions of glorious summer days in the woods and will be glad to read this from George W. Bishop, the business manager:

The Lotus Glee Club of male voices (New York), after triumphant tours east and west and three great seasons in London, England, will make Music Day, August 18, a notable day. Opie Read, the charming novelist and story teller, everybody will want to hear August 20.

Arthur J. Fischer, August 19 and 20 brings the Art of Impersonation to its finest finish in Fun Without Foolishness.

The Hon. J. Adam Bede, distinguished Minnesota congressman, will sound the clear note of patriotism on August 17 in "Our Nation, Its Problems and Progress."

August 15 to 19, the evening entertainments will be preceded

Notice to Tax Payers

The books are now open for taxes. All delinquent real estate must be paid by Dec. 20 to save it from being sold. The time on other taxes has been extended until Jan. 20, 1910.

The books will be open at South Bloomingville, Monday, December 27, 1909.

At Haynes, Tuesday, December 27, 1909.

At Laurelvill, Wednesday, December 29, 1909. At which time persons can not pay taxes in Benton, Salt Creek and Perry townships at the Treasurer's office.

Also the Ward township books will be open at Carbonhill, Monday, January 3, 1910.

At Murray City, Tuesday, January 4, 1910.

Bring your tax receipts with you.

J. W. GABRIEL.

Dec. 2, 5-w Treasurer.

by the finest moving pictures that money can buy.

All roads will lead to Lancaster Camp for Sunday, August 21, for the inimitable George R. Stuart will be there all day.

Every minister will want to bring all his people to hear Dr. Camden R. Coburn's Lectures and Bible Expositions August 15 to 21. Why go elsewhere when this Biblical School puts Lancaster at the forefront of privilege?

File the above for reference. We will gladden all of our friends in our next by announcing a rich feast for the Camp Meeting August 4 to 15.

Tell everybody that Lancaster Camp is determined this time to excel even its own glorious past.

but then we have fine roads here, no hills and level shell roads, Lemons are a little later, so are the grape fruit, have not seen many gnaws. Coconut trees are very full and make a nice show. Florida is composed of sand and shell; not the place for the farmer that wants to raise corn, wheat, pasture, hay and cattle. The short horns would starve; the penny royals can live. For trucking, strawberry raising, and the citron fruits it is all right, with a fine climate.

We live on the north side of Mary's Avenue, on the east of Ball street in crazy corner. Mrs. Hies just west of us across Ball street in Ives corner; she says tell them I am getting fat and snappy. Friends are writing and asking where Mr. Hies lives.

What has become of the Enterprise and Stringtown correspondents; has old Hocking been on a high and washed them all away. We thank those that have been writing to us, we like to hear from them and should like to hear from some of the old or new correspondents through our county papers, thus helping our editors to make the home papers interesting. Variety is the spice of life.

Wishing the Editors and all connected with the publishing of the papers and their readers a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

I remain, yours truly,
J. A. M.

Market Report.

Prices Paid by Logan Merchants, Dec. 21, 1909.

Butter	28c
Eggs	28c
Chicken	9c
Spring chicken	10c
Potatoes, per bu	50 to 55c
Sweet potatoes, per bu	70c
Apples, per bu	50c to \$1.00
Cabbage, per 100 lbs	.75c
Onions, per bu	.60 to 70c
Hickory nuts, per bu	\$2.00
Walnuts, per bu	.40c
Wheat	\$1.15
Corn	.60c
Oats	.50c
No. 1 Timothy hay	\$15.00
Mixed hay	\$13.00
Straw	\$6.00
Hogs	6 to 6 1/2c
Dressed hogs	9 to 9 1/2c
Steers	3 to 4 1/2c
Heifers	3 to 3 1/2c
Cows	2 1/2 to 3c
Bulls	2 to 2c
Calves	.5c
Sheep	3 1/2 to 4c

MARKET: Order Gold Medal Flour if your folks are picky about their victuals. SALLY ANN.

TUBERCULOSIS

Corning, O.
May 29, 1909.

To Whom It May Concern: As I read the many testimonials from different people, where they are being cured, I can say that I have more praise to give than I have or should give to the medicine that has done me so much good and besides saved making doctor bills.

Before taking Nature's Cure I was doctoring all the time and nothing did me any good and was so weak from coughing day and night that I could not work.

I was advised by a friend to try the remedy, so I sent and got one bottle and after taking same for one week I began to eat good and sleep well at night, so I continued taking medicine and in three weeks started to work the first day of December, 1908, and have been working ever since, and am working and feeling fine and gaining in strength and also in weight, and can tell anybody and tell the truth that Nature's Creation cured me of lung trouble and has saved my life.

So hoping this testimonial will be the cause of helping others who are suffering as I did for years, I am,

Yours respectfully,
Sally Ann

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